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SUBJ: KRAKATAU STEEL SEEKS CONSULTANTS: LATEST DEVELOPMENTS

REF: JAKARTA 5345

- 1. SUMMARY. KRAKATAU HAS ADDED KAISER ENGINEERS TO LIST OF COMPANIES BEING CONSIDERED AS CONSULTANTS. WOULD APPRECIATE AT LAST INITIAL REPLY TO QUERIES PARA 1 REFERENCE BY UNCLASSIFIE CABLE TO REACH EMBASSY PRIOR 0730 JAKARTA TIME FRIDAY 9 MAY, END SUMMARY
- 2. KAISER ENGINEERS SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE JESSE K
  TAYLOR AND CARL A LOVGREN VISITED EMBASSY 6 MAY
  TO REPORT THAT BY APPROACHING KRAKATAU MANAGEMENT
  DIRECTLY THEY HAD OBTAINED INVITATION TO BID ON CONSULTING CONTRACT. THEY REPORTED THAT KAISER TOP MANAGEMENT CONSIDERS THIS "THE SORT OF OPPORTUNITY THAT CAN MAKE
  OR BREAK AN ENGINEERING COMPANY'S REPUTATION," AND IS FULLY
  BEHIND EFFORT. VISITORS EXPRESSED WARM APPRECIATION FOR
  EMBASSY GUIDANCE ON PROGRESS AND POLITICS OF KRAKATAU
  RESTRUCTURING PROGRAM. WOULD APPRECIATE MEPDS FOLLOWING
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UP AS APPROPRIATE WITH KAISER OAKLAND OFFICE.

- 2. VISITORS AGREED TO PROVIDE EMBASSY DIRECTLY WITH TYPE OF INFORMATION ABOUT KAISER REQUESTED PARA 1 REF A ABOUT ARMCO AND MCKEE, FOR INCORPORATION IN MATERIALS WEE ARE DEVELOPING FOR KRAKATAU MANAGEMENT.
- 3. KAISER VISITORS LEARNED IN COURSE OF THEIR VISIT
  THAT KRAKATAU PRESIDENT ARIWIBOWO WAS TO LEAVE JAKARTA
  AFTERNOON MAY 6 FOR MILL SITE AND RETURN FRIDAY MORNING 9 MAY.
  BEVAUSE LEAD TIME TOO SHORT TO PROVIDE INFORMATION RQUESTED
  PARA 1 REF A BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE, WE HOPE TO
  HAVE INITIAL RESPONSE FOR HIM IMMEDIATELY UPON HIS
  RETURN. THEREFORE, REQUEST DEPARTMENT AND USDOC FORWARD
  WHAT INFORMATION THEY HAVE BEEN ABLE TO ACCUMULATE
  TO REACH US BEFORE EMBASSY OPENS FRIDAY 9 MAY
  (INDONESIAN OFFICES CLOSE BEFORE NOON FRIDAY).
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